




Report to the Auburn City Council

Action Item

Agenda Item No. **5**

 City Manager's Approval

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members
From: City Councilor Holmes
Prepared by: Amy Lind, Asst. City Clerk
Date: March 24, 2014
Subject: Donation of Art to the City of Auburn

The Issue

Shall the City Council accept the donation of 20 framed colored prints from Loreley Hodkin?

Conclusion and Recommendation

By MOTION, accept the donation.

Background

Loreley Hodkin is a native of Auburn who served as Auburn's volunteer historian for about ten years. She has taken a number of lithographs of historic Auburn buildings and colored them in and had them framed. She desires to have the lithographs available to display in the Auburn City Hall or other city owned buildings. Many of these lithographs have been on display at several local businesses in the past. It has been suggested that some of them be hung in the Rose Room and/or the hallway on the top floor of the City Hall. With acceptance, these lithographs will be added to the inventory of city owned art.

Fiscal Impact

none

Attachment

Letter of Donation from Ms. Hodkin with a list of the 20 lithographs

Loreley Hodkin`

Donation of Framed Pictures of Auburn

March 1, 2014

To City of Auburn Donation of 20 Framed Picture to Auburn City Council

Auburn City Council
1225 Lincoln Way
Auburn, CA 95603

To Auburn City Council:

I am donating the attached list of 20 framed colored prints to
the City of Auburn.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Loreley D. Hodkin". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and address.

Loreley D. Hodkin
18566 Dunvegan Dr.
Applegate, CA 95703

List of TWENTY, colored, Lithographs, Photographs, or Advertisements:

1. Auburn City Hall, partial, 12 x 36, Advertisement, April 11, 1896
2. Auburn City Hall, big 20 x 30 ? 210 Washington St.
3. Auburn City Hall, 12 x 36 (3 mat photo) story, street view, burned 1905
4. Placer County Court House, Litho, 1857 24 x 30 ? 101 Maple Street
5. Masonic Hall 956 Lincoln Way, Photo, circa 1916, 24 x 30
6. Freeman Hotel, letterhead, advertisement circa 1890's, 12 x 24 624 Lin. Way
7. West's Hotel, 1865 circa, postcard, then Borland, last, Freeman Hotel 20 x 24?
8. Noe's Drug Store, 1891(Chocolate Shop today) 20 x 26 823 Lincoln Way
9. McCormick & Buhring, Santa Claus 1891 808 Lincoln Way (Placer Arts.)
10. 195 Park St. E. C. Snowden 1877, Real Estate Poster, w/blue edge 24 x 30
11. Putnam Hotel, 1882, litho, 853 Lincoln Way 20 x 26

Loreley Hodkin

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Historic Colored Lithograph Framed Pictures, February 8, 2014

12. 1889 Old Town litho 12 x 36 newspaper, up Commercial Street
13. 1882 D. W. Spear House, 24 x 30 litho Pl. Co. History
14. Bernard House and Vinery, 1882 Litho Pl. Co History, 12 x 28
15. American Hotel 1857, (Shanghai, Auburn Ale House) 289 Washington
16. 1st Auburn Fire Station, 1888. 110 El Dorado St. Photo, 26 x 30
17. 1860 circa, Auburn Litho original, oval frame 16 x 20
18. 1906 Hink Block, photo, 818 Lincoln Way
19. 1889 City of Auburn, Placer Herald Litho, oval frame, 22x19
- 20 Auburn 1891, litho 1/2 partial, 500% enlarged 28" x 41"